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## Erie Reports City Owned Conduit as Satisfactory; Is Profitable Investment

Built at solicitation of Service Companies Which Pay Per Foot Rental.

### NEW CASTLE LESS LUCKY

System fails to measure up to expectations and franchise is given Bell Co. to build conduit; City reserves right to acquire and charge rental.

J. Donald Porter, who at the last meeting of the city council requested, in the name of the taxpayers whom he represented, that the conduit ordinance be held over until information could be obtained concerning the experience of other third-class cities with municipal systems, has been in receipt of data from two of the three cities in the state which have installed such systems.

From E. L. Wadsworth & Company, one of the leading insurance agencies of Erie, he received quite detailed information on the subject as follows: "The 'My of Erie,' writes Mr. Porter's correspondent, 'has two different telephone companies and two electric companies. A number of years ago the merchants and other citizens began an agitation to do away with the poles and wires, particularly in the down town business section. When pressure was brought to bear upon the service corporations by this means, they, in turn, agitated the construction of a conduit system. The different phases of the system were carefully investigated by the city and interested parties and it was finally determined that if the city constructed a conduit and charged the service corporations rental it would be a very good proposition for the city and the taxpayers. Consequently the city agreed to build a high tension and a low tension conduit system. You will, of course, appreciate that such a system is built a little at a time and gradually extended outward from the business section.'

"There has been no ordinance passed compelling the service corporations to use the conduit system, but inasmuch as they requested the system to be built, a contract or agreement was entered into whereby the city would construct the conduit for which bonds were issued and on which the service corporations paid rental on the basis of linear foot of duct per year. The bonds thus received all go to a conduit fund which of course reduces the bonds and the balance is used for the construction of new ducts."

"The cost up to the present time of the high and low tension conduits is about \$30,000. The rental paid by the service corporations was originally five cents per linear foot for the low tension conduit, but upon complaint of the service corporations this rental was later reduced to four cents, which is the present rate. The rental on the high tension conduit is under discussion and has not been determined as yet. To the present time about \$50,000 duct feet of conduit has been constructed."

"We are informed by the city controller that, judging by the rentals received from the low tension system, these conduits are proving very profitable investments for the city and all officials seem to agree that under no consideration would they have this conduit system otherwise than the property of the city. The rental at present obtained from the service corporations is between \$6,000 and \$7,000 per year."

The area covered by the conduit system of Erie is approximately 175 city blocks, its greatest length being north and south on the main business street for a distance of 19 blocks.

From Roy C. Miller, insurance agent at New Castle, information was received to the effect that the con-

### FOUR KILLED IN FIGHT INVOLVING YANKEE MARINES

By Associated Press.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Dec. 10.—Four policemen were killed and one wounded while breaking up a street fight here last night between several American marines and a party of civilians.

Two marines were wounded. The Americans were off duty at the time.

### Derencin Taken Into Custody by U. S. Authorities

Marijan Derencin, former manager of the foreign department of the First National bank of Connellsville, who was indicted by the Fayette county grand jury this week on a charge of larceny by bailee, was bailed before the federal authorities in Pittsburgh yesterday and held by United States Commissioner Ruger Knox in \$10,000 bail.

According to National Bank Examiner George H. Smith, Derencin embezzled \$40,000 of the funds of the foreign department of the bank previous to last August 18, at which time his connection with the bank was severed. No statement as to the amount embezzled was made by the bank, officials of which denied that there was truth in the reports of a much larger shortage.

### Mount Pleasant Boy Bugler on the President's Yacht

Special to The Courier.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Dec. 10—Word was received here yesterday by Joseph Hartigan of Eagle street that his son, Clinton Hartigan, bugler at the naval base at Hampton Roads, has been transferred to the Mayflower.

This is the first time in the history of the town that a local boy has had the honor to be bugler on the President's yacht.

### CLARK AGAIN COMMANDER

Elected for Fifth Consecutive Term by Kurtz Post, G. A. R.

At the regular meeting of William F. Kurtz Post No. 104, Grand Army of the Republic, held yesterday afternoon in Odd Fellows Temple, W. P. Clark was re-elected commander for the fifth consecutive year and the following other officers were re-elected: Senior vice-commander, Lyman S. Stricker; junior vice-commander, W. A. Artis; chaplain, H. H. Yarnell; officer of the guard, W. H. Shaw; sergeant major, A. S. Haddock. Installation of officers will take place at the next regular meeting to be held Friday afternoon, January 12.

A quartermaster, adjutant and several other officers will be elected at this meeting.

Talks were given by several of the comrades. One new member, Charles H. Hill, who served during the Civil War as a member of Company F, 145th Pennsylvania Infantry, was received.

### TO ORGANIZE LEAGUE

Boys at "Y" to Prepare for Basketball Season.

Next Wednesday afternoon, following the educational moving pictures at the Y. M. C. A., there will be a meeting of all the boys who are members of the "Y" to form a boys' basketball league. Every boy who is interested in the game is requested to be on hand.

To play in the league it is necessary to join the "Y." W. F. Underwood announced this morning that the part memberships which the boys can get by paying for the other half are going fast. These are for the boys whose parents are unable to buy them a full membership.

### Candidates to Be Initiated.

About 70 candidates, from various parts of the county, including a class of about 15 from Connellsville, will be initiated at a meeting of Division No. 1, Ladies Auxiliary to the Ancient Order of Hibernians, of Uniontown to be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the parochial school auditorium of that city. Mrs. Margaret Mullin, a member of Division No. 3, Connellsville, is captain of the degree team.

### Principal Jones Improving.

Principal S. H. Jones of the Dunbarborough schools, who has been ill during the past week, is recovering. He expects to be able to resume his work on Monday. During his absence, Miss Dorothy Edwards, a assistant principal, has been in charge.

### On Westmoreland Grand Jury.

David Lurke of Southpton, E. F. Miller of Scottsdale and J. A. Forn of Mount Pleasant township have been named on the Westmoreland county grand jury for the term of court which convenes at Greentown, February 6.

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Donations for the Christmas box sent to the Old Folks' Home at Dravburg each year are being received at the Methodist Episcopal church and Sunday school. A committee will receive the gifts tomorrow.

**Vanderbilt Man Arrested.**  
John Anderson of Vanderbilt will be given a hearing this evening before Alderman Fred Munk on a charge of pointing a revolver at his son-in-law, Alva Morrison.

### POWER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM FOR CITY TO BE CHANGED SUNDAY

Carrying Capacity of Lines From Power Plant Will Be Trebled, Official Says.

Beginning tonight at midnight and continuing the greater part of Sunday electric current from the plant of the West Penn Power Company into Connellsville will be shut off during the changing of transformer connections at the power plant, the installation of third transformer there and the changing of connections at practically all the transformers in the city, of which there are over 2,000.

According to a statement given out at the offices of the company the changes are being made for the reason that Connellsville lines are becoming overloaded while the changes will increase the carrying capacity to about three times what is now carried, resulting in elimination of flickering of lights and irregularity in the operation of motors, and improving the service generally in both power and lighting.

Technically speaking, the company will during the interruption change the system of distribution from the present 2,300-volt combination two and three-phase to a 2,300-volt four-phase.

Electricians have been at work for several weeks on preparation for the changes to be made. In some places, old-style transformers have been replaced by the modern type. Beginning at midnight, old gang will be put to work at the plant and in the city.

The current will be turned on again as soon as possible. If a fire should be resumed before noon it will be necessary to have another eight interruption at 1:30 o'clock, this of about 15 minutes' duration. If any event the lights will be out before dark Sunday evening, it was said.

Only Connellsville will be affected by the suspension of service.

### Three-Day Bible Conference Opens at Pennsville Church

A three-day Bible conference was opened last evening at the Firstville Baptist church with Rev. L. T. Lawrence of Evanson as the speaker. His subject was "The Bible, the Word of God." The conference will be held at 7:30 o'clock, except Sunday evening, at 7:15 o'clock.

The conferences are open to the public which is cordially invited.

### AUTO OWNERS SLOW

Only 140,000 License Applications Filed at Harrisburg.

Farmers Want \$2.50 Wheat.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Legislation to revise the United States Grain Corporation, with a government guarantee of \$2.50 a bushel for wheat, will be a lead of Congress, it was announced today by the Farmers' National council.

Three sessions are scheduled for Sunday. In the morning Rev. N. R. Farnell of Scottsdale will speak on "Accounting." The afternoon session will be D. W. Shape of Scottsdale. In the evening Rev. F. M. Conway of Conway of Connellsville will occupy the platform, his subject being "What Will It Mean to Be Saved When Jesus Comes?"

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### MICHIGAN'S EXPENSES \$283

The expense account of Charles C. Mitchell, elected mayor of Connellsville in November, has been filed in Uptown. It shows expenditures of \$283.

### INJUNCTION HEARING Dec. 24.

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—Judge E. M. Landis today set December 21 for arguments on the Pennsylvania railroads' petition to restrain the Railroad Labor Board from issuing an order declaring the railroad to be in violation of the transportation act.

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### TOM SLAUGHTER, BANDIT, SLAIN BY MAN HE RELEASED

Shot in Back While Making Escape From Officers in Arkansas Hills.

### MURDERER IS CAPTURED

By Associated Press.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 10.—The last escape of Tom Slaughter, noted bandit, with a record of nearly a score of breaks for freedom from southwestern jails and prisons, led to his death in Saline county hills at the 10th anniversary of his birth.

According to the story on which he was captured, he had been making his way through the woods.

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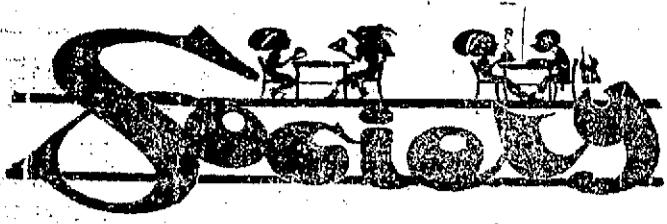
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## Four-Power War Prevention



## C. D. of A. Elects Officers.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows at the regular meeting of the Catholic Daughters of America held last evening in the parochial school hall: Grand regent, Miss Anna Lowney; vice-grand regent, Miss Rose Bailey; prophetess, Miss Kelle Breunau; historian, Mrs. Mrs. Maria W. Miller; financial secretary, Miss Margaret Wilhelm; treasurer, Mrs. Mary Mahoney; monitor, Miss Emma Montzer; sentinel, Mrs. Dennis Richley; trustees, Mrs. Sara Nillan, Mrs. Mary E. Laffey, Mrs. Terence Deore, Mrs. Carrie Noonan, Mrs. Anna Woelker and Miss Mary Kelsay. All the old officers were nominated but declined election on account of having served several terms in office. There will be no more meetings until after Christmas, at which time bands Nos. 7 and 8, in charge of Miss Jenille Cunop and Mrs. Theresa Gondola, will have charge. Concern will be installed at the first meeting in January by District Deputy, Miss Ella Murphy of Greensburg.

## Concert at Baptist Church.

A sacred concert will be given Sunday night in the First Baptist church by the church choir, with Carl T. Austin, organist. The program follows:

Organ—"Theme From Handel" — Guilmant  
Choir—"Sun of My Soul" — Frey  
Piano—Sparks" — Moszkowski  
Theresa Christie.

Quartet—"Allegretto Serenade" — Buck  
Mrs. Brickman, Mrs. Dull, Mr. Pratt,  
Mr. Dull.

Organ—"Allegro Appassionato" —

Choir—"Nazareth" — Gounod  
Vocal Duet — Selected  
Walegerber Sisters.

Vocal Solo — Selected  
Mrs. Brickman.

Choir—"They That Trust In The Lord" — Frey

Organ Postlude in F — Wely

## Charming Bridge Party.

Mrs. J. Kirk Ronner and Mrs. Edna Johnston Brondel gave a charmingly appointed bridge party this afternoon at Mrs. Ronner's home in West Fayette street. Six tables were called into play and following the games attractive prizes were awarded to the guests securing the highest scores. A hearty luncheon was served. Out of town guests were Mrs. Homer Burchinal and Mrs. Eastman Hackney of Uniontown.

## M. E. Women to Meet.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist Episcopal church will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. P. R. DeMuth, South Pittsburg street.

## Blaney Morris.

Mrs. Sallie S. Blaney of Brownsville and J. C. Morris of Fairmont, W. Va., were married yesterday in Uniontown. Mr. and Mrs. Morris will reside at Fairmont.

## Missionary Auxiliary Meets.

A well attended meeting of the Carrie Kenyon Auxiliary to the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist Episcopal church was held last evening at the home of Mrs. James Watson in South Eighth street, Greenwood. Business of a routine nature was transacted, followed by a social hour and refreshments. Mrs. Watson's aids were Miss Lulu Carroll, Miss Anna Stipek, Miss Madel Leonis and Miss Gertrude Grinn.

## Marriage Announced.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Agnes Stotler of New Berlin, W. Va., and Robert Patterson of Uniontown, solemnized December 8 in the study of the Central Christian church, Uniontown.

Auxiliary Meeting Tuesday.

The regular monthly meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held at the club rooms of the Milton L. Bishop Post on Tuesday evening. As the committee to nominate officers who are to be elected at the January meeting will be selected on Tuesday evening all members are urged to be present.

## Successful Bazaar.

The Christmas bazaar held Thursday and Friday at the Baltimore & Ohio Y. M. C. A. by the Ladies Aid society of the First Methodist Episcopal church met with wonderful success. Nearly all of the many beautiful hand-made articles, suitable for



## NEW COAT

This luxurious coat of blue Marcella cloth has found distinction in wide sleeves with separate cuffs. The decorative circles are made of black wood beads fastened on with French knots. A very generous collar of blue wools finished the neck and the coat is lined to the hem with gray crepe de chine.

Christmas remembrances were readily disposed of and the women in charge are greatly pleased with the success of the affair. Quite a nice sum was also realized from the booth where delicious home-made candy was sold.

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## Syria Caravan Gives Dance.

About two hundred couples, including Shriners from all over the country, attended the first of a series of card parties and dances given last evening at Gallatin Gardens, Uniontown. About fifty girls from Connellsville were present. Those who cared not to dance spent the evening at bridge, five hundred and euchre and at the conclusion of the games prizes were awarded the winners. A delightful feature of the evening was a Vandusville sketch given by Mene and Marlowe and several numbers by Joe Hurl, well-known song writer, performer on the Keith circuit, who were brought to Uniontown for the occasion. An elaborate lunch was served. W. D. McGinnis, a caravan officer, P. R. Walker and J. Raymond Montreal were members of the committee on arrangements.

## Shower For Bride.

The Young People's Christian Union of the United Presbyterian church held a most enjoyable business meeting and social at the home of Mrs. Dr. A. Dunn, Seymour street. Thursday evening: The Y. P. C. U. is growing in interest and enthusiasm and many plans were made for the coming year. After the business hour Mrs. W. D. Long, president of the society, and a recent bride, was presented with handsome gifts of cut glass, silver and aluminum ware from members of the society. Games were enjoyed and refreshments were served by the social committee.

## Mrs. Kooser Hostess.

Mrs. Ray Kooser entertained the M. T. Fancywork club at her Snyder street home last evening. The next meeting will be held Friday, December 16, at the home of Misses Katherine and Anna Fette at Saydertown.

## PERSONALS.

Mrs. John Smutz of the West Side went to Pittsburgh this morning. The best place to shop after all-Brownell Shoe Co.—Advertisement.

Miss Elizabeth Gomas of Mason town was a guest yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cover of East Crawford avenue.

Phil the Kiddie stockings with Santa Kisses. Oh, so good. Made in Connellsville by Tri-State Candy Co. All dealers.—Advertisement.—Price-12.

Miss Lenora Graco and Miss Ethma Bridgeman went to Pittsburgh this morning to spend the day.

Big reduction in hats, assortment includes light embroiled Duvetys, sailor and a number of Gage models. Miss McFarland, Title & Trust Bdg.—Advertisement.—\$8-50.

Mrs. Frank W. Proctor of Baltimore, Md., is visiting her mother, Mrs. C. L. V. Bute of Uniontown. Mrs. Proctor is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Armstrong of the West Side, and has a number of friends here. Mr. Proctor will arrive in Uniontown within the next ten days, and accompanied by Mrs. Proctor will leave for his former home in Raleigh, N. C., to spend Christmas.

Buy genuine Edison Mazda lamps, Frank Sweeney, 100 South Pittsburgh street.—Advertisement.

Miss Anna Close of Mount Pleasant was the guest of Miss Edna Cook of South street, over night.

Downs' Shoe Store is now ready for those out Christmas shopping. They have to offer footwear, the most useful and acceptable Christmas gift anyone

can buy, especially so this year, and in these kind of times.—Advertisement.—\$1-50.

Mrs. William Capstick of Johnstown was the guest of Mrs. Joseph Gray of Gallatin avenue Thursday.

Have your living room rug cleaned and made look new for Christmas by the Goodwin Co.—Advertisement.—\$1-50.

Miss Ellen Irwin, employed by the Wright-Metzler company, has been ill at her home at Brookville for the past two weeks.

The best assortment of Xmas cards in town just arrived. Shop early. W. E. Bissell, your druggist, Pittsburgh and Apple streets.—Advertisement.—\$1-50.

R. B. Fey of Washington, D. C., formerly manager of the Royal Winter Mills branch store here, was visiting friends in the city today.

All the latest New York hits played by Kiferlin's orchestra at the State Armory Saturday night.—Advertisement.—\$1-50.

Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Edmunds spent today in Pittsburgh.

Order your Xmas candy now. Whitman's and Samoset. We deliver anywhere. W. E. Bissell, your druggist, Pittsburgh and Apple street.—Advertisement.—\$1-50.

Mrs. C. F. Critchfield, Jr., went to Johnstown last evening where she will visit relatives for a few days.

Downs' Shoe Store have all of their Christmas slippers out and arranged so anyone can walk up one side of the store and down the other and see them displayed for men, women, boy, girl or child—a most useful Christmas gift.—Advertisement.—\$1-50.

Mrs. Margaret Yoho of Cedar avenue returned to her home last evening after visiting relatives at Akron, O., for several weeks.

Christmas cards cost so little and mean so much that you cannot afford to forget anyone. Our choice assortment of greeting cards will make it easy for you to select just the cards you want at Kestner's Book Store, 117 West Apple street. We have secured an extra room next door for Xmas cards and juvenile books for the holidays.—Advertisement.—\$1-50.

Mrs. H. L. Devans of Wellsville, O., is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smity of Sycamore street. Mrs. Devans will remain here until after the holidays.

Mrs. H. A. Baum of Dayton returned home today from a visit with relatives in Ohio.

What do you want to pay for the gift which you want to give? Is it around \$2.00 or \$2.50? If so, why not see Dowas' Shoe Store's display of Christmas slippers—a most beautiful thing to give anyone.—Advertisement.—\$1-50.

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Fall the ladies' stockings with Santa Klaus. Oh, so good. Made in Connellsville by Tri-State Candy Co. All dealers.—Advertisement.—\$1-50.

A complete line of small goods, string and brass, such as violins, banjos, guitars, mandolins, skeletons, xylophones, trombones, cornets, clarinets, etc. can be had at W. F. Frederick Piano Company's Store, Pittsburgh street. We also carry a line of music rolls, music stands, a full line of strings for stringed instruments. Come in and see us.—Advertisement.—\$1-50.

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## MICKIE SAYS

NEWSPAPERS DON'T NEVER MAKE NO EXORBITANT PROFITS SO THEY GOTTA HAVE ALL THE MONEY THEY COMIN' TO THEM, SO IF YOU ONE US ANTHONY, WE'D SURE ADMIRE TO HAVE IT NOW! THANK YOU!



## ERIE REPORTS CITY OWNED CONDUITS AS GOOD INVESTMENT

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full system in that city has not been a success.

"New Castle," writes Mr. Miller, "has a conduit system in the main part of the town which was constructed some years ago at a cost of approximately \$70,000. I am not in a position to give you the number of feet in this conduit, but after having been tried since constructed, it is now pronounced a failure. Will not pay two per cent on the investment."

No details are given as to the cause of the failure of New Castle's conduit experiment. The Bell Telephone company is at present making considerable changes in the system, an ordinance having been introduced in the city council on November 1 granting the company a franchise to construct approximately 850 feet of conduit to connect with the city's conduit at certain points. This ordinance is subject to the provisions of what is termed the "General Private Conduit Ordinance," enacted September 20, 1921.

This ordinance specifies the terms and conditions under which a service corporation shall be given permission to occupy streets with poles or conduits. One section provides that the company constructing a conduit shall, within four months from completion, certify to the city clerk a sworn statement of the actual cost of said work, itemized as to costs of material, labor, engineering and supervision; and the said city reserves the right, power and authority vested in it under Act of Assembly No. 321, approved June 12, 1913, to acquire such property as it may be authorized to purchase or condemn under said act, which has been constructed by any such company under the provisions of this ordinance; and the company from whom such works are acquired or purchased by the said city, shall have the first option of leasing such part of the said works as it may require for its purpose.

For the purpose of presenting this and such other information as he may in the meantime obtain from Lancaster, Mr. Porter will meet with city council on Monday evening. Other citizens and taxpayers who concur in the opinion that no conduit ordinance should be enacted at this time, and not until the whole subject is still more fully investigated, will accompany Mr. Porter to join with him in urging that action be deferred until later.

## SCOUTS NAME OFFICERS

Walter Cunningham Senior Patrol Leader of Troop 3.

Nineteen Scouts out of 22 in the troop attended the weekly meeting of Troop 3 last evening at the Y. M. C. A. and the following officers were elected: Senior patrol leader, Walter Cunningham; patrol leaders, Earl Winkler, Allen Cheeks and Stephen Bruckner; with Tony Masia, Jennings Davis and Ralph Stevenson as their assistants. Raymond Ramage was taken in as a new member and his brother, Lester E. Ramage, was registered as an assistant patrolmaster.

The next weekly meeting of the troop will be held next Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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The augmented symphony orchestra which accompanied the picture in Pittsburgh will be here and will play at all performances.

Which! Motorist—Say, where can I get some regular mad? I've met with an accident.

Farmer—What do you want, a machine shop or a hospital?

Mrs. McCormick Improved. Improvement was reported today in the condition of Mrs. C. B. McCormick who has been seriously ill at her home at Popular Grove.

Scottdale Man Stricken. W. T. Magee of Scottdale suffered a stroke of paralysis Wednesday.

A Sure Cure. Wants in the use of our Classified Column. Try it.

## LEGION WOMEN NAME OFFICERS AT SCOTTDALE

Mrs. A. S. Livengood Is Re-elected President of Organization.

## JOINT SESSION PLANNED

Committees Named to Arrange for Event of Social Nature With Legion Post; New Faces at Baby Clinic, More Expected Next Week.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, Dec. 10.—The American Legion auxiliary met in the Legion room last evening and held its annual election, which resulted as follows: President, Mrs. A. S. Livengood; vice-president, Mrs. Florence Whaley; secretary, Miss Kate Flinner; treasurer, Miss Anna Pickard. The standing committees were not appointed on account of the business that came before the society but will be at a later date.

The auxiliary set December 19 for a joint meeting with the Legion. Following a business meeting there will be a program and refreshments. The following committees were named to arrange for the entertainment: Musical Program, Margaret Kretschau and Mrs. C. E. Stone, joint chairmen; refreshments, Mrs. J. P. K. Miller, Mrs. Lillian Kelly, Mrs. Robert Gove, Mrs. Charles Morris and Miss Mary O'Hara.

Mrs. Russell's Funeral. Funeral services for Mrs. Margaret Russell, 73 years old, who died at Owensdale on Wednesday, were held yesterday afternoon at the home in charge of Rev. J. E. Hutchinson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. Interment was made in the Scottdale cemetery.

Foreign Work Week. General Secretary W. A. Cady of the Y. M. C. A. is planning for the foreign work week to be conducted by the Y. M. C. A. next week, December 9 to 16, inclusive.

Baby Clinic News. The baby clinic at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon was a decided success, with Miss Margaret Flynn of Greensburg and Mrs. Cecil Loucks of Scottdale in charge. Ten babies were at the clinic, three of them new. More now are being kept normal, since there are charts to go by. With two nurses in attendance yesterday the work was dispensed with in half the usual time. Babies were presented that at birth had weighed three pounds and now are normal, showing that with proper attention the baby can be normal.

Greater work is being planned for next week.

Services in Churches.

Services at the United Presbyterian church Sunday will be: Bible school, 10 o'clock; preaching, 11, subject, "Sanctuary vs. Sinlessness"; preaching, 7:30, theme, "The Security of the Believer."

At the Reformed church there will be services at 10:30 o'clock, with Miss Rebecca Messimer as the speaker. Miss Messimer is a returned missionary from China.

At the Methodist Episcopal church Rev. H. N. Cameron, newly appointed district superintendent of the Mon-Kiernan district, will preach at 10:45 and will hold the first quarterly conference immediately after the service. At the evening service Rev. Judson Jeffries, pastor, will speak on some phases of law enforcement and will give a report of the law enforcement convention held in Washington this week.

Dr. J. F. Jordan, Chiropractor.

After visiting the Eastern College of Chiropractic, Newark, N. J., for three months, has returned and will be at his Scottdale office Tuesdays and Fridays. The Chiropractor has given hundreds of chiropractic adjustments to patients in Scottdale and most of them will recommend the treatment to any one that is sick or run down in health. He has had cases of over 15 years' standing and today they are well. Ask some of his patients about him. J. F. Jordan, Elks building, over McCrory's 5c & 10c store, Tuesdays and Fridays.—Advertisement 10-21

Personal Notes.

Do not buy new suit for Xmas, have the old one cleaned and pressed by the Goodwin Co., Connellsville.—Advertisement 8-26.

Harry Gaynor, who had been in the Mount Pleasant hospital, was discharged yesterday and allowed to come to his Scottdale home.

For a few days longer we are making up personal Christmas greeting cards; hundreds of beautiful cards to select from. Rutherford's Book Store.—Advertisement 8-41

Misses Mary Drake and Elizabeth Brownlie of Uniontown were guests of the Misses Whaley at Everson last evening.

Have your living room rug cleaned and make look like new for Xmas by the Goodwin Co., Connellsville.—Advertisement 8-26.

Miss Ruth Miller left yesterday to spend the week-end with Pittsburgh friends.

All the latest New York hits played by Kifel's orchestra at the State Army, Connellsville, Saturday night.—Advertisement 9-21

Big reduction in hats, assortments include, light embroidered, Duvetyn, sailors and a number of Gago models. Miss McFarland, Title & Trust Building, Connellsville.—Advertisement 9-51

Advertise your wants; it's a word.

Bad Kidney Trouble Ten Years. Don't give up hope if you are suffering from backache, rheumatic pains, stiff, swollen joints, always tired feeling, pain in groins and muscles or other symptoms of kidney trouble. J. T. Osborn, R. F. D. No. 1, Lucasville, O., writes: "I had kidney trouble for 10 years. I tried all kinds of kidney remedies but they did me no good. I took one bottle of Foley Kidney Pills and they helped me so much I am well now."—Advertisement 10-22

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## STEEL TRADE FLATTER WITH LITTLE CHANGE BEFORE FIRST OF YEAR

Production of Ingots Decreasing Being at or Below 30 Per Cent; Better Demand Expected in 1922. From The Weekly Courier.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The American Metal Market and Daily Iron & Steel Report will review the steel and iron trade tomorrow as follows:

The finished steel markets have turned still flatter and if the quietness that developed a few weeks ago was a forerunner of year-end dullness still greater inactivity is to be expected up to January 1. Consumption of steel has not decreased as much as market activity, and it is evident that some forward business was placed in October, accounting for present mill activity in the face of very dull markets.

Tubular goods are an exception in that they have shown a fairly active market. The National Tube company's bookings in November were the largest for any month since May, 1920, and independents also did a good business. The pipe mills are now operating at about 70 per cent of capacity. The deep shading that has characterized the pipe business for several weeks has extended to some descriptions of oil country goods. Standard pipe remains steady, probably on account of outstanding guarantees by a number of the independents.

Sheet prices are holding at 3.00c for black and 4.00c for galvanized, in face of a light demand. On account of some special business, including export orders, the leading interest operated its sheet mills at 80 per cent last week and is scheduled for 70 per cent this week, but independents are hardly averaging 50 per cent. Buyers are placing prompt orders only. The plate is quite steady at the \$4.75 price and the mills have an operation averaging about 70 per cent or better. Bars, shapes and plates have not sagged materially, perhaps on account of the scarcity of interesting inquiries and range in general from 1.50c to 1.60c.

Production of steel ingots is decreasing and if it has not passed below 40 per cent of capacity it will probably soon do so.

The pig iron markets are very quiet and in most districts prices now quoted as the market could be shaded on a fair sized lot. In the Pittsburgh market a block of re-sale iron, controlled by a railroad supply company, is available.

The common prediction is that 1922 will show a better steel demand than the year now ending, but the activity may not develop until early spring.

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, Dec. 10.—Mrs. W. J. Kirkpatrick left yesterday for a visit to Johnstown.

Mrs. V. W. Wallace has returned to her home at Johnstown after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Begg.

Mrs. Ross Oster left yesterday for Connellsville to visit her daughter, Mrs. R. Keffer.

Mrs. John Hawke has gone to Scottdale and Connellsville to visit friends. W. F. Critchfield has gone to Pittsburgh where he will reside with his son, Charles, this winter.

Helen Rowe, who underwent an operation at the Prantz hospital for enlarged tonsils, last week, is at her home now.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rishbarger was here yesterday on their way to their home at Addison after a visit with friends at Connellsville.

Mrs. Kate Sherrick of Somerset is visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Davis.

Samuel Wilson has returned to his home at Flanigan after a visit here with friends.

Mrs. L. K. Thomas has returned to her home at Markleysburg after a visit here with her daughter, Mrs. E. R. Beader.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Shipley and two children have returned to their home in Dawson after a visit here with Mr. Shipley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Shipley.

Dawson.

DAWSON, Dec. 10.—Mrs. Clarence Durbin spent Thursday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Bixler of Connellsville.

Mrs. John Gaal, Jr., has returned to her home at West Newton after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gaal of Connellsville and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gaal of Dawson.

Mrs. and Mrs. John Ward and Miss Margaret O'Brien were recent Connellsville callers.

Donald Zorn, who recently underwent an operation at the Cottage State hospital in Connellsville, is getting along nicely, according to word received from that place.

The store room of James Welling is being newly painted.

Joseph Strickler, Pittsburgh & Lake Erie engine dispatcher, is back at his work at Dickerson Run after being off duty the past 10 days on account of sickness.

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, Dec. 10.—Mrs. Frank Sisley is calling on relatives at Charleroi today.

L. J. Potter motored to Connellsville.

Mrs. Sadie Williams of Belle Vernon is visiting friends and relatives here.

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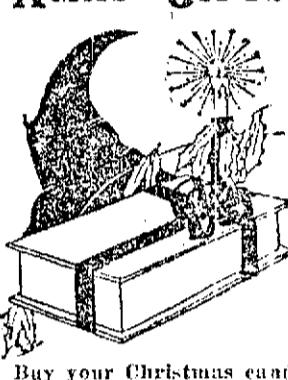
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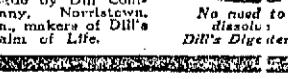
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SATURDAY EVENING, DEC. 10, 1921.

## PEACE WILL COME TO IRELAND

Those persons who have loudly spoken and fervently prayed that an abiding peace may come to Ireland should not be disengaged at the prospect that de Valera's return to Ireland will present the settlement with Great Britain to the Dail if it can or to the country will prevent the realization of their hopes.

As president of the Irish Republic and as head of his state on the subject of a separate political entity for his country de Valera could not consistently do otherwise than offer objections to a form of treaty with Great Britain which gives to Ireland the status of a dominion instead of a republic. He has the proper right to continue to present a full defense of the position he has assumed just as the advocates of the peace treaty have the right to their contentions and convictions. A spirited debate will doubtless ensue at the session of the Dail this evening to confirm the treaty which will receive very much the same purpose of debate in our own Congress—that of showing the minority to retire gracefully and with the honors of war without the humiliation of an abrupt surrender.

There is apparently little doubt but that the peace settlement will finally be confirmed. There is a power working in the hearts of the people of Great Britain and Ireland which is vastly greater and more potent than the opinions and judgments of men. It is the leaven of righteously in government which God's good time and His way will bring the blessing of peace to Ireland for which there has been no more steadfast longing than in the United States.

## OBLIGE TO IRISH

In the matter of wage reductions the railroads ought to play fair. A scaling down is conceded as one of the essentials to a peace time readjustment but a reduction in transportation charges both freight and passenger, is no less so. One wage reduction of 12 per cent has been in effect since July 1 but with a few exceptions the freight rates of war time are still blocking the progress to a restoration of commercial and industrial prosperity. Passenger rates remain unchanged except that beginning January 1 the war tax of eight per cent will be removed but the railroads will continue to reduce the full war time rate for every mile passengers travel.

That the railroads should take steps to make another wage reduction effective before they have inaugurated a movement to correspondingly reduce freight and passenger rates which they are under moral obligations to do in consequence of the reduction already made in wages creates in the public mind the impression that the railroads are not putting the game fairly either to their patrons or to their employees.

When wages were first need to meet the war time cost of living and to better equalize the earnings of certain classes of railway labor long under paid the pique of the railroads that freight and passenger rates must be advanced in order to provide revenue to meet the heavier payrolls was granted and with comparatively little protest on part of railroad patrons.

Now that the emergency has passed and the necessity no longer exists for the maintenance of the high level of rates, and one wage reduction having been in effect almost six months, the attitude of the railroads in demanding another wage reduction before a cut in transportation charges becomes wholly indefensible unless assurances are forthcoming that the public is to be given proportionate relief in lower freight and passenger rates.

## Hunter Must Know.

Pittsburgh Gazette Times

Conviction at Williamsport of a hunter who shot and killed a man mistaking him for a groundhog introduces a new principle in criminal responsibility for accidents of that character. It appears that the verdict of guilty is based on a statute enacted at the recent session of the Legislature which provides for a fine of \$100 to \$1,000 imprisonment for one to five years and revocation of the hunter's license for two to 10 years as penalties which may be imposed on conviction for the offense.

In the open season hunting accidents are frequent. One who mistakes a man for a deer or other animal, and kills him has no intention to commit a homicide. If he is in the forest, he would not shoot. Yet that the gun is discharged and the man is killed unintentionally and by mistake is the

apparent implication of the statute. It does not exonerate the hunter. He should know that it is not a human being. If he does not injure himself, or the correctness of his identification and gives a man, he must answer under the criminal law.

The principle seems well founded.

A hunter in pursuit of game may have to shoot quickly on sight of it, but the statute puts on him the burden of knowing that it is game. He is not to be reckless. If he does so and brings death to a person he must face the penalty. Not intending to do it is not an excuse under the law as it stands. Enforcement of such a statute should operate to make for the safety of those who go hunting. It would be far better to lose a shot than to commit the error of failing to prevent it obviously. Though the hunter does not intend to stay that does not restore life which is thus taken so needlessly. Hence the proper imposition of a penalty is a warning to exercise caution.

## Two Deer Bagged.

George Issac Robotic Hayes, Jack Murray, Ralph Haines and Walter Moore returned from Somerset County Friday evening with two fine deer. The largest was an eight-point buck, weighing 230 pounds, bagged by Walter Moore. A fine two-point buck was bagged by Robert Hayes. The party also bagged 10 rabbits.

## What Is Education?

Comprises More Than Book Learning, Says Teacher of the Course.

(Continued.)

To Editor:

The course in education with public school as the study of the theory and child life, from birth to know and understand him in meaning and also of education, he brought a clear definition, the many existing activities in the field of education.

William C. C. Clegg, the leading educational authority, has written

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## NEWS OF DAY AT MOUNT PLEASANT BRIEFLY RELATED

Class of 1918 of High School Plans Reunion for December 29.

### CONFERENCE OF BAPTISTS

Will Be Held in First Church, Connellsville, With Rev. W. G. Russell of Philadelphia as Chief Speaker; Sunday Services; Other News Notes.

Special to The Courier.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Dec. 10.—The class of 1918 of the Mount Pleasant high school is making preparations for a reunion here on December 29. As far as is known now every one of the 32 members of the class will be here.

#### To Attend Conference.

A delegation from the First Baptist church, headed by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Erbe, is planning to attend a stewardship conference next Monday evening in the First Baptist church at Connellsville. This is one of the number of conferences that are being held throughout the Monongahela Baptist association. The conference is to be addressed by Rev. Dr. William G. Russell of Philadelphia, director of the Pennsylvania Promotion board, who was formerly pastor at Scottsdale; Mrs. C. B. Willey of Pittsburgh, director of the Women's board of Western Pennsylvania, and Rev. Charles A. Decker, pastor of the Bellevue Baptist church.

#### Bever Cases Reported.

Two cases of scarlet fever and three of diphtheria have been reported to Health Officer Harry McTague.

#### At Church of God.

Services Sunday at the Church of God, Sylvester Fultner, pastor, will be: Preaching, 10:30 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. The morning subject will be, "Run—Speak to This Young Man"; and the evening, "An Unequal Contest." There will be Sunday school at 9:15 o'clock and Christian Endeavor at 6:15.

#### Baptist Church Program.

At the First Baptist church tomorrow, the pastor, Rev. John A. Erbe, will speak on the following themes: At 10:45, "Doing the Impossible;" at 7:30, "Why Men Do Not Fear God."

#### Early Mailing Urged.

Postmaster Charles A. Graul has completed his tasks to the school children on the mailing of packages early and tying them in compliance with the Postoffice Department orders.

#### Personal News.

If it's a paper, magazine or book, you'll find it at Brooks'—Advertisement—29-4.

West Penn street car tickets on sale at Brooks'—Advertisement—29-4.

See our classified advertisements.

### AGE OF CLEOPATRA'S NEEDLE

Obelisk in New York Park Was Erected in Egypt Before the Birth of Moses.

Cleopatra's Needle, which stands in Central park, New York city, was given to the United States by Egypt and was transported here at the expense of the late W. H. Vanderbilt. It was erected in 1881. The crabs it stands upon are replicas of the originals, which are in the Metropolitan museum. In the museum, too, a model is to be seen showing how the obelisk was lowered and raised into its present position. It is sixty-seven feet high and weighs 180 tons.

Gazing at it, it is hard to realize that when it was erected Moses had not been born, that not one being in Europe could read or write, indeed that Greece, Rome, England had never even been heard of, remarks the Detroit News.

When Thothmes III, erected this obelisk, about 1500 B. C., to commemorate his victories over the enemies of Egypt, his country was the richest and most powerful in the world, the great center of trade and the leader in letters and arts. The last independent ruler of Egypt, Cleopatra, had the obelisk transferred from Heliopolis, the old capital, to Alexandria, thereby giving it its present name.

With the fall of ancient civilizations the old buildings of Egypt decayed and everything about that country was forgotten. Finally, at the instigation of Napoleon, scientists undertook to solve these secrets and aroused interest in that long-forgotten country.

### USED ANTS TO FIGHT PESTS

Southern Arabs Employed the Method 150 Years Ago in Culture of the Date Palm.

Control of destructive insects by the introduction of their natural enemies has become an important technique during the last generation, writes Paul Porcen in Science. But if competent observers are to be trusted, the southern Arabs employed the same method more than 150 years ago in the culture of the date palm.

In his "Relation d'un Voyage dans l'Yemen" (Paris, 1850, page 155), P. E. Botta says:

"I was able to verify the singular fact previously observed by Porcen, that the date palms in Yemen are attacked by a species of ant which would cause them to perish if each year the growers did not bring from the mountains and fasten in the tops of the palms branches of a tree that I did not recognize, which contains the nests of another species of ant which destroys that of the date palm."

P. Porcen was the naturalist of C. Nodot's expedition; his work was published posthumously in 1776. I have not seen his account in which Botta refers.

It would be interesting to know whether the history of economic entomology furnishes any earlier record of the "biological" method of pest control.

### Jewish Leaders Confer Honor on "Do-It-Up" Brown



David A. Brown of Detroit is man of the year, so far as American Jews are concerned, said Dr. Abraham Joshua Heschel, Julius Rosenwald and Felix M. Warburg were among the leaders from thirty-five states who in a recent American Jewish Relief Committee convention at Chicago, insisted that Mr. Brown cancel passage to Europe and accept the active chairmanship of a nation-wide appeal for \$14,000,000 to help the body of disaster-stricken Jews overseas.

Mr. Brown has been dramatically from a newsboy on the streets of Detroit to a financial and civic power in that city and a nationally known philanthropist. At his new office, 103 Park Avenue, New York, he attacked the task set for him with characteristic vigor.

"We are going to put this job over," he said, "regardless of slow business, calamity, howlers and all the other obstructionists that throw monkey-wrenches in the world's machinery."

The flight of refugees, war orphans and destitute communities among our Jews in Europe this winter leave the American Jew no choice in the matter."

Mr. Brown's nickname in Detroit is "Do-It-UP" Brown.

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OLIOYILLE, Dec. 10.—Leland Whipple has returned to his work here after a week spent at his home at Dawson, suffering with an injured skull.

William A. Mason butchered a porter Wednesday weighing 550 pounds.

Grover Burnworth killed a large four-pronged deer, Roger McMillen one with two prongs, Wednesday.

Virginia Wolfe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earle Wolfe, is ill of typhoid fever.

It is reported that Mrs. Ernest Hirschberger of Hooverville is ill of diphtheria.

Mrs. C. C. Holt spent Wednesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stark at Confluence.

R. J. McBurney of Uniontown was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Shoy on Commercial street.

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### Who Is Your Jeweler?

By ALICE KURTZ  
Jewelry is as old as the provincial "ills." Precious jewel are mentioned in the Bible; the name is interwoven among the pages of history. Cleopatra adorned her beautiful body with precious gems; every queen of ancient times is revered in all the splendor of the family jewels— even to the high culture of poetry and the man-made ring which usually adorned the first finger of her royal hand.

In one's own American home we find the Indian trading valuable parts for trifling jades—it what the white man gave him in exchange deserves no equalized a name. But the principle is the same, there is something alluring about jewelry which some innate craving of the human being.

But even nowadays, with our modern system of education, years of experience and so-called sophistication, there are people who are so careless in their purchase of jewelry as the poor Indian was ignorant.

If an article "looks good" they scramble into their purses so quickly that one is tempted to again give credence to the old and now too elegant adage that "A fool and his money are soon parted." A reputable jeweler does not mislead the public—if consulted he will truthfully advise—but people do not consult him as a rule, they plunge headlong because their fancy is caught, and they want to buy before the article is snatched up by someone else.

There are at least three qualifications one should demand of his jeweler. He must be dependable—when he says it is gold, it must be gold, without question or doubt; he must sell only merchandise so that he may have faith in his own goods; he must have a thorough knowledge of the business so that he may be capable of answering any question intelligently and give advice with wisdom and sincerity. We might also add that he must keep abreast of the times, adding new concets as they appear and discarding old fashioned fads and fancies. If one can find a dealer with these qualifications he can make his purchases without this little imp of doubt tormenting him on his way home about being "bounced" or the relative who is always such a good judge of everything will ridicule his jewels.

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The previous accident occurred just on the day the company had planned to open its store in the West Side hotel building. Now that connections have again been made with the gas supply the business will be opened in all departments.

It is reported that Mrs. Ernest Hirschberger of Hooverville is ill of diphtheria.

Mrs. C. C. Holt spent Wednesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stark at Confluence.

R. J. McBurney of Uniontown was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Shoy on Commercial street.

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## The Sporting World

### Fans Disagree on King's Ability to Stay in Ring With J. Ward Dec. 16

Barry Criticised for Making Match; Others Think Well of It.

#### PEDANO MADE OWN CHOICE

In signing Johnny King, the Fayette City batto, to meet Johnny Ward of McKeesport, in the star bout of 10-rounds next Friday night, at Starish hall, Matchmaker Duke Barry has brought some adverse comment on his action in pairing the youth off with the veteran and wishes to explain his end of the proceedings.

"During the bout between Donnelly and Carter, I was approached by a number of King's friends," says Barry, "who insisted that I match King with the winner and they shoved a roll of money under my nose, stating that they would back their choice for any amount up to \$1,000 that King could defeat either. Knowing that King could not make the weight of Carter or Donnelly, I paid no attention to them at the time, but the next day and the day after when the same thing again transpired, I got in touch with King's manager and offered him a list of names to choose from for an opponent for King. Tommy Pedano, who is King's manager, jumped at the opportunity for his boy to meet Ward. It was then up to me to get the managers of the two boxers to agree on the weight, which was set for 145 pounds at 3 o'clock."

Barry is of the opinion that many will change their views regarding this contest, as he thinks that King is one of the best prospects ever seen around this section in a long time.

"King reminds me very much of the old school of boxers of twenty or so years ago," says Duke, "when the boys of that age were real fighters and whose records are still being written out."

The bout between these two boys each packing a wicked wallop, will undoubtedly draw a great crowd of fans to see them in action, considering the statements made by King's followers as to his ability to defeat any one he is matched with.

Although the main bout has aroused great interest, the semi-final of eight rounds, in which Mike Moran, the Mount Washington "Wop," will mingle with Pete Zivko, former bantam champion of the amateurs, is coming into its share of mirth. This contest will undoubtedly run the main tit a close second for general all around favoritism and speed.

#### High School Booking Many Good Outfits

Connellsville high school will have a most attractive basketball schedule this season. In addition to the regularly scheduled contests with W. F. I. A. league teams, which include Bradock, North Bradock, Turtle Creek, Latrobe, Norwin and Scottsdale, games are being arranged with Washington, Johnstown, Greensburg and Monessen. A number of leading high schools from Pittsburgh will also be seen in action on the local floor. One already closed with is the Crafton quintet.

The Cokers open their season tonight with the Mount Pleasant high school team. There will be several other home games before the first league game, to be played Friday, January 6. It is probable that the team to first take the floor this evening will be made up of Harmon and Sonson, forwards; Lowrey, center, and McCormick and Orosky, guards. The second five has some promising men on it.

#### Olds-Fayette Co. To Give Autoists Special Bargains

The Olds-Fayette Motor company in East Apple street will inaugurate a series of weekly specials on automobile accessories beginning next Monday. Each week the special offer will be changed.

The first special will be Wood Chains. Especially necessary at this season of the year, the Olds-Fayette company is making it possible for motorists to secure them at attractive prices. The sale will continue throughout the next six days. The special offers are entirely for the accommodation of automobile owners who will be able to secure some real bargains in actual motor necessities at a figure considerably below the current selling price.—Advertisement.

Emma Goldmann Would Return, RICA, Dec. 10.—Emma Goldmann, who was deported to Russia from the United States in December, 1919 as a result of her alleged anarchist activities, has left Moscow. It was learned here today. She is believed to be in Riga with the intention of seeking permission to return to the United States.

Snell R. & O. Captain.

The Baltimore & Ohio clerks basketball team elected Fred Snell captain for the coming year at a meeting Thursday night.

Hunting Bargains! Read our advertising columns and you will find them.

#### HONOR ROLL OF GIBSON SCHOOLS FOR THIRD MONTH

#### OTHER NEWS OF THE DAY

Contains Names of Students Neither Absent nor Tardy During Period.

SOUTH CONNELLSVILLE, Dec. 10. Students of the Gibson schools who do not miss a day or who do not have tardy marks chalked against them are placed on the honor roll. Following is the honor roll for the third month as prepared by the teachers and submitted to Principal J. C. Beal:

High school, J. C. Beal, principal, Clinton Hillman, teacher; Della Bottomy, Elsie Faison, Wm. Hall, Anna Marie Kocis, Elizabeth Malonka, Mary Elizabeth Watson, Margaret Spisak, Margaret Rosencie, Asenath Umble, Elizabeth Lassie, Ruth Richter, Pearl King, Earl Beatty, Thomas Coughenour, William Crouse, Carroll Fisher, Jack Mezine, Dudley Steales, Joseph McCormick, Charles Rosenecker, George Solson, Charles Travis, W. S. Trevitt, Russell Wray, Herbert Williams and Edgar Wagner.

Grad. 8—Sarah K. Davies, teacher, Orville Rittenour, Donald Hyatt, Harry Hartman, Melvin Thorpe, James Gill, James Moran, John Robinson, Mae Shroyer, Blanche Krieger, Jessie Tressler, Martha Dye, Alberta Beeghly, Thelma Evans, Mato Belle McCormick, Frances Fisher, Margaret Malonka, Anna Beck, Ruth Galliher, Mary Amberg.

Room 7, Dorothy Brinkley, teacher, Jean Bowser, Margaret Fisher, Lucy Kading, Ethel Leach, Grace McElhaney, Kathryn McCormick, Gladys Oglevee, Sarah Robinson, Thelma Wolmer, Albert Baluk, Earl Bloom, Paul Doftolt, Donald Evans, Edmund Leach, Robert Newman, William Matonka, Paul Richter, David Shelly, Robert Wagner, Edward Wershing, William Wershing and Charles Wintershater.

Grades 5 and 6—Mildred Morse, teacher, Charles Gordon, Carl Youklin, Mabel Anderson, Mabel Brocious, Rowena Bryer, Pauline Dye, Helen Bello, Eustace, Laura Linternau, Sophie McCormick, Whinfred McGary, Mary Rahl, Ade Stipe, Paul Dye, Emily Hall, Frank Kotsila, John Pelleh, Florence Bradley, Alwilda Galentine, Elizabeth Joscak and Elizabeth Landreth.

Grade 5, Gladys M. Hobbs, teacher, Elmer Clark, Randall Doftolt, Walter Fawson, Tony Grouso, Nick Ladick, Kazzimir Ladick, Vane McCormick, Philip McGary, Ewing Nekoljan, Garwood Swank, Clemence Wagner, Nell Doftolt, Elizabeth McElhaney, Anna McCormick, Martha Richter, Maud Witzig, Margaret White, Mabel Winemeyer, Florence Pfeifer and Ruth Miller.

Grade 4—Edna Hart, teacher, Eber Anderson, Harold Bottomly, Arden Brinkley, Elsie Beatty, Mike Ambrosko, Harvey Jamison, Charles Lane, Elmer Walther, Albert LaRok, Charles Johnson, Leo Winterhalter, Otto Lee, Irene Beck, Gladys Trynen, Mary Kramer, Malinda Johnson, Otto Lee, Elizabeth Kelly, Ruth Maritz, Anna Malonka, Mary Oglevee, Ella Pryor, Louise Pierce, Joehanna Riley, Anna Peilish, Elizabeth Spizak, Veronika Shipley and Gladys Warner.

Grades 3 and 4—Clara Mae Critchfield, teacher, Clara Brodous, Charles Johnson, Vernie King, Jacob Lindner, George Mason, Marion Robbins, Steven Veparsky, Francis Wilheim, Vivian Evans, Francis Fisher, Mildred Gaillette, Thelma Hall, Maryann Kelley, Anna Landefeld, Mary O'Neal, Ladore Robins, Cathleen Shal, Hazel Sidney, Louise Woodward, June Woodward, Lois Younkin and Etta McCurdy.

Grade 1—Edith Kosier, teacher, Ruth Beck, Virginia Bowser, Vespa Connor, Helen Clawson, Dorothy Kelly, Naomi Lee, Catherine Oglevee, Lois Snyder, Louise Travis, Virginia Widener, Alice Wiltrout, Charles Bryant, Wilmette Corvin, Jean Corvin, Donald Duscan, William Ederle, M. R. Hyatt, Chalmier Lowrey, Carl Meader, Dais Patterson, Russell Reed, Charles Schoff, W. L. Trump, Henry Trump, Clarence White and Russell Pierce.

Humboldt 1 and 2, Gertrude Marsteller, teacher, Thomas Clark, Raymond Fisher, Louis Joscak, Earl Kelley, Peter Rhuby, Bernard Wilhelm, Mike Wojciechowski, Lyle Ziegler, Etella Clark, Ruth Evans, Pearl Flowers, Bessie Johnson, Dorothy Lachard, Laverne Mason, Eleanor Ruhl, Eileen Hall, Nelly Sanner, Dorothy Shirey, Anna Shall, Elogene Wimmer, Josephine Wimmer and Elizabeth Ziegler.

Other News.

Mrs. Ray Lillardbridge was brought before Justice E. E. Adams Thursday afternoon on a charge of "disorderly conduct in and about the school premises." She was found guilty and had to pay a \$10 fine.

The Ever Faithful class of the Evangelical church held its regular business meeting at the home of Mrs. A. W. Welman Thursday evening. Fourteen members of the class were present. At a late hour a dainty luncheon was served, after which the meeting adjourned.

The "In Fly" which will be given away Friday, December 23, by the Captain Athletic association was brought from Uniontown, where it had been on display.

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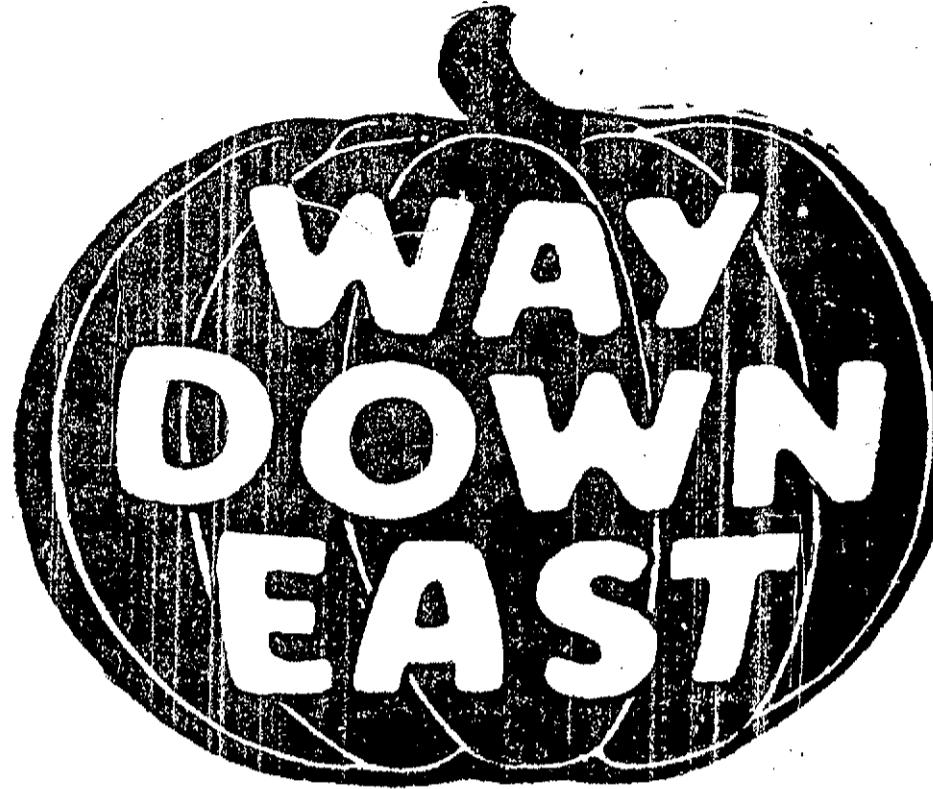
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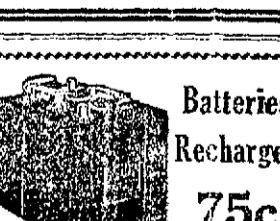
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FIRST BAPTIST—E. H. Stevens, minister. Bible school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. Sermon subject, "How Can We Know God?" The Bible says we have "neither heard his voice at any time, nor seen his shape." And again, "No man hath seen God at any time." Then how shall we know him? B. Y. P. U., 6:30. Second lesson from "Playing Square With Tomorrow." Evening worship, 7:30. Sacred concert given by the choir and organist, C. T. Austin. The First Baptist of Paul to Timothy will be outlined and studied Wednesday night at the mid-week meeting.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN—Francis J. Scott, minister. Sunday school, 9:45. Preaching, 11 and 7:30. Juniors, 3 P. M. Y. P. C. U. and Intermediates, 6:45. The pastor has been preaching on the subject, "Investing in the Promises of God." God has a program. If we are God-centered not all centered, we will see the audacity of God's plan and the wisdom and value of having a part in it. "And Jeremiah bought the field that was in Anathoth." Sunday morning Miss Anna Duncan, missionary from Egypt, will tell us about one of these fields. Come and hear her. The subject for the evening sermon is "Succeeding For Eternity."

THE SALVATION ARMY—Week-end services as follows: Gospel social hour tonight (Saturday) 8 P. M. Sunday morning, 11 o'clock. Company meeting, 2:30. Young People's Legion. Street service, 7:15; grand salvation service in the hall at 8 P. M.

TRINITY REFORMED—J. H. Dorman, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Public worship, 11 and 7:45. Subject of morning sermon, "The Voice in the Wilderness." Evening subject, "Fruitful Forgiveness."

EVANGELICAL—South Connellsburg, C. E. Miller, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30. Public worship, 10:30 and 7:45. Y. P. A., 6:45. Prayer service on Wednesday evening at 7:30. Cottage prayer meeting Thursday evening.

GREENWOOD M. E.—C. F. Richmond, pastor. Greenwood school, Ninth street. This is a church for the West Side, and all will find the services helpful and inspiring. In a church where no one is a stranger. Morning worship, 11. "The Christian Soldier." Sunday school, 2:45. Evening worship, 7:30. "A Matter of Fundamentals." There will be special and inspiring music by choir and pastor.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL—Parish house, Fairview Avenue and Prospect street. Frederic Welsh, rector. Third Sunday in Advent. Divine services in the morning at 11 o'clock. Church school at 10 o'clock.

FIRST UNITED BRETHREN—Sunday school, 9:45. Preaching at 11 on subject, "The Abundant Life." Jr. Y. P. S. C. E. at 2:30 P. M. Sr. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 P. M. Preaching at 7:30. Rev. Mrs. Nellie H. Showman will deliver the message. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30. Strangers welcome. J. S. Showers, pastor.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Bennett W. Hutchinson, D. D., pastor. Anti-tuberculosis day. Until the new church building is erected, this congregation meets in the large hall in the Cameron school building on South Pittsburg street. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. The Brotherhood class and the Young Men's class meet in the Y. M. C. A. building. The pastor will preach at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject, "Finding One's Work or Place in the World." Is it possible? Evening sermon on "Is God Just?" If so why do the wicked prosper, and the criminal get away with his crime? At the morning service the pastor will make an important statement bearing on the new church building. In the evening he will give a "Prelude" on "Prodigal Daughters." Epworth League at 8:30. A very important meeting. The Queen Esther society meets at the parsonage on Monday evening.

FAVETTE U. B.—Fairview, Sunday school, 10 A. M. Preaching service for children at 11. Subject, "The Good Shepherd." Mount Olive, Sunday school at 10. Preaching at 11. C. E. at 7:30 P. M. Moore Memorial, Sunday school at 10 A. M. There will be no other services because of the dedication of the East End community house.

METHODIST PROTESTANT, West Apple street. J. H. Lamberton, minister. Class meeting, 9. Sunday school, 9:45; morning worship, 11. Subject, "The Eternal Kingdom." Junior C. E., 3; Intermediate C. E., 6; Senior C. E., 6:45; topic, "Points in the Pledge We Are Likely to Neglect"; leader, Miss Myrtle Stafford. In the evening the pastor's theme will be "The Unexpected." Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30; special music by chorus choir under the direction of M. W. Griffith. Preaching at the Summit Sunday afternoon at 3:15.

CHRISTIAN—George Walker Buckner, minister. Sunday school at 9:45, followed by communion service and preaching at 10:45; subject, "Your Money or Your Life?"—Your Money, or Your Life?—Your Money and Your Life? Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Evening sermon at 7:30; subject, "Christ and the Problem of World Freedom."

COVENANTER—Rev. Johnston makes the following announcement: "Sabbath school, 10; sermon, 'A Jealous Brother.' 11; C. Y. P. U., 6:45, subject, 'Points in Our Pledge We Are Likely to Forget'; leader, Hattie Jaynes; evening sermon, 'Emptying the Vessel to Vessel.' 7:30. Wednesday

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VANDERBILT CHRISTIAN—Jessie Benjamin Porter, pastor. Bible school, 10; divine memorial worship with preaching, 11; sermon subject, "The Heavenly Messengers." Regular meeting of the church board immediately after morning worship. Evening service at 7:30; subject, "The Fundamentals of Evangelism." Your attendance is cordially requested.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—Dunsmuir Building. Church and Sunday school at 11 o'clock; lesson sermon, "God the Preserver of Man." Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. Reading room open week days from 2 to 4 o'clock.

TRINITY LUTHERAN—Fairview avenue. Rev. Dr. William H. Hartwick, pastor. Class for instruction, 9 o'clock; Sunday school, 10; New's Bible class in the main auditorium, with own opening exercises and singing. Worship, 11; sermon, "Looking Another Christ." Luther League, 3:45; leader, Ralph Dickey. Preaching, 7:30; sermon, "The Chosen Few at the Time of the Nativity," a Christmas sermon. All are cordially invited.

COCHRAN MEMORIAL—Sunday school, 9:45; morning worship, 10:45; sermon subject, "A Bird's View of Ourselves"; evening service, 7:30; sermon subject, "The Value of Nothing," sermon to young people.

BRYAN M. E.—Sunday school, 1:30; preaching, 2:30; Epworth League, 7:30.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN—Sunday school, 9:45. Morning service, 11; subject, "The Shepherd and His Sheep." Evening service, as usual, at 7:30. Young people's meeting, 6:30. Wednesday evening prayer meeting, 7:45 o'clock.

VANDERBILT M. E.—C. H. Beal, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Morning worship at 11. Subject, "My Membership Vows." Epworth League at 6:30 P. M. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon, "Sowing Wild Oats."

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HARRISBURG, Dec. 10.—Taxicabs are commercial vehicles under a ruling just announced by the state automobile division, and the minimum registration fee for such vehicles will be \$15. This ruling will become effective during 1922.

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## More Activity and a Feeling Of Encouragement Observable In the Coke Region Last Week

Probably Only Pre-Christmas Preparedness; If so, is Temporary.

### 677 MORE OVENS FIRED UP

Both Furnace and Merchant Operators Being Idle Plants Into Production; Latter Reduce the Output Load of Former; Regional Gain 5,040 Tons.

From The Weekly Courier.  
There was increased activity and a somewhat widely diffused feeling of encouragement in the coke trade last week. Both furnace and merchant operators increased their output to a degree, and the production list and output of both gained, the total having been 83,070, or 6,940 tons greater than during the preceding week. The number of coke ovens fired up in the week held by the furnace plants.

The production of both interests continued to increase in less the result of new business than of the result of old movement to accumulate at least fair-sized stocks against the continuing of delays in transportation during the winter months. Until last week the consumers were persistent in their refusal to accept the declining freight rates, and reductions were near at hand. Having abandoned discussion of this topic as futile at this time there is a disposition to follow the time-honored custom of making some pre-Christmas coke preparations. The movement will doubtless be temporary unless the furnace situation undergoes a marked change by the end of the year.

The trade is now greater than a week ago and there is a variety of prices determined by quality, use of coke and eagerness to make a sale, but only standard sizes, furnace, remain, and other grades down to \$3.00, or even below. Contract ranges \$3.35 to \$3.50; spot foundry, \$4.00 to \$5.00. The region has noticed a somewhat better demand and a softening tendency in prices.

Within the past week there have appeared certain evidences that the freight revisionists are beginning to realize that discussion is not hastening the date when lower rates will be made effective. Fully well convinced that reductions will not take place as easily as was expected, the coke consumers who have been out of the market or have made no provisions for accumulating at least a little stock against possible interruptions to transportation during the winter, are evincing a disposition to add to their already slim stocks of coke through small purchases here and there in the region or by permitting larger shipments to come forward on contracts. This movement has not taken on large proportions, and is not likely to, but it, rather than new business, is to be credited with having caused an increase in production during the past week which, it appears safe to predict, will be continued until Christmas week.

The furnace ovens again kept well to the front last week but the merchants took a spur which considerably reduced the load of the former. Notwithstanding the H. C. Erick Coke company fired up one additional plant and added a total of 274 to its active oven list, the gain of 5,140 tons in the furnace oven production as a whole was 2,400 tons less than it had been during the preceding week. The merchants meantime swelled their producing oven list by bringing three idle plants and a total of 405 ovens into service. By this means they made a gain of 3,310 tons in weekly output as compared with a loss of 1,530 tons the week before.

Neither the furnaces nor the merchant ovens, except in a few cases, found it necessary to run full six days. The former observed a four and one day schedule while the latter ranged from six down to three, two or one. A small number of plants supplying furnaces which have been themselves maintaining a steady operating rate made a full run as has been the order since resumption.

The coal trade continues to be very much in the dumps insofar as coke region shipments are concerned. The winter weather of this week encouraged some hope that the market would betray some signs of life but they have not been noticeable.

The production of coke during the week ending Saturday, December 3, was 83,070 tons, credited to the two districts as follows: Connellsville, 43,080, an increase of 1,970 tons; Lower Connellsville, 39,980, an increase of 6,480 tons, or a total increase of 8,450 tons as compared with a net increase of 5,940 tons the preceding week.

By interest, the production was: Furnace, 48,000, a gain of 5,140 tons; merchant, 35,070, a gain of 3,310 tons as compared with a gain of 7,520 and a loss of 1,530 tons respectively during the week ended November 26.

The net gain in active ovens was 877, of which 272 were at furnace and 405 at merchant plants. The H. C. Erick Coke company added 274 ovens as follows: 50 at Collier, 100 at Leisenring, No. 3, four at Mammoth, 50 at Phillips, 30 at Redstone and 16 in 40 at United for the first time. Three merchant operations, American No. 2, 140 ovens, Searight 100 ovens and Shannock, 60 ovens, were restored to activity.

#### CHRISTMAS

No, It's Not a Bit too Soon to Prepare For It.

And we want to talk to you about a gift that the First National Bank has arranged to make free to every child in Connellsville—the little Liberty Bell Home Bank. You open a savings account with \$1 or more for any child you wish to remember—that's your gift. The little bank is the big bank's gift—an ornament for any home—an exact miniature reproduction of the famous Liberty Bell, and a wonderful help in saving.—Advertisement

Coal, Coke, Iron Moger in Utah. Utah coal, coke and iron properties have been merged in a \$25,000,000 corporation with W. E. Creed of Pittsburgh, of the Columbia Steel company and Pacific Gas-Electric company, as head.

### OUTPUT OF BEEHIVE COKE AND SOFT COAL FALL OFF WEEK NOV. 26

Former Decreases 3,000 and the Latter 1,811,000 Tons; Consumers' Stocks As Large as Year Ago.

According to the weekly report of the Geological Survey production of beehive coke in the United States during Thanksgiving week followed the course of production of raw coal. The total output for the United States is estimated from shipments by the principal coke-carrying roads as 11,106,000 net tons, a decrease of 3,000 tons when compared with the preceding week.

Cumulative production for the year 1921 now stands at 4,934,000 net tons, barely one-fourth of that in the corresponding period of 1920.

Production by states, compared with the corresponding week of 1920, was as follows:

	1921	1920
Pennsylvania and Ohio	\$3,000	\$3,000
West Virginia	6,000	26,000
Alabama, Tennessee and Georgia	8,000	33,000
Virginia and Kentucky	7,000	19,000
Colorado, Oklahoma and New Mexico	2,000	11,000
Washington and Utah	2,000	6,000
U. S. Total	108,590	307,000

Production of soft coal dropped to 7,083,000 net tons. The decrease of 1,811,000 tons below the output of the week preceding was due chiefly to the occurrence of Thanksgiving Day, but also to slackening demand for coal.

Thanksgiving Day was more widely observed this year than has been customary hitherto, although ordinarily the miners load about three-tenths as many cars on the holiday as on a full working day; this year loadings dropped to 1,650 cars. Even on the days unaffected by the holiday, however, production averaged five per cent less than in the week ended November 10.

It will be seen that in point of bituminous production the year 1921 is roughly 45,000,000 tons behind 1919, 123,000,000 tons behind 1920 and about 144,000,000 tons behind the average of the war years. Compared with the average of all four years it is 140,000 tons behind.

Before concluding, however, that this subnormal production forecasts a shortage in the future, the great decrease in consumption which has followed the business depression must be kept in mind. From the evidence now at hand it appears that the decline in output has been offset by a cut in requirements, and that consumers' stocks today are no smaller than they were a year ago.

To Stop Coughing at Night.

When anyone is suffering from a bronchial affliction or has a cough that lingers on and grows worse at night, the loss of sleep tends to weaken the sufferer and grows more serious the longer it is neglected. Mrs. M. Sutor, 647 Longbrook Avenue, Stratford, Conn., writes: "Polly's Honey and Tar has given me great relief from a severe attack of bronchitis." No medicine stands higher throughout the nation as a family remedy for colds, coughs and grippe.

—Main Floor

Karess Perfume Sets \$7

Consists of powder, perfume, and toilet water resting in a beautiful green box for Holiday giving.

Single items cost—Powder \$2. Talcum, \$1.00.

Perfume \$3.50. Compact powder \$1.50. Other perfumes \$1 to \$4.

—Main Floor

French Kid Gloves

\$2.25 to \$3.50

A gift for the woman who understands the art of...

They come in two clasp lengths, white, grey, black and tan—as fine a glove as France sends to America.

—Main Floor

Umbrellas

\$1 to \$16.50

Sketched is a silk umbrella with Bakelite handle and leather carrying thong that would delight any woman.

Other umbrellas in shades enough to match any costume up to \$16.50. Tax extra over \$4.

—Main Floor

Smoking Stands

\$4.50 to \$22.50

Some of the type illustrated in mahogany are \$4.50. Others as high as \$22.50.

They make a gift that a man appreciates—and help to keep the ashes off the floor.

—Main Floor

Ivory Toilet Pieces

25c to \$7.50

In Du Barry and La Belle patterns. Combs are

25c to \$3. Brushes \$3 to \$12. Mirrors \$6 to \$11.

Scissors \$2.25. Nail Brush \$1.75 to \$5.25.

You may buy sets or pieces as you desire.

—Main Floor

Toy Town Specials

Doll cradles of natural wood, special \$1. Tea sets of

doll dishes, special 65c.

Tyre blocks for building houses. Special at \$1.50.

\$2 and \$3.50. Three-piece sets doll furniture, Special 50c.

\* These in addition to the most complete and merriest display of toys in town!

—Downstairs

Market Specials

Mother Hubbard Flour, 1-8

1-8

Red Wing Flour, 1-8, \$1.40

Daniel Webster Flour, 1-8

1-8

Pastry Flour, sack, 30c

Pure Graham Flour, 35c

Fresh Corn Meal, small sack

15c

Fresh Corn Meal, large sack

25c

Rub-No-More Soap, large cake, 15 for

\$1.00

Star Naphtha Soap, Powder, 15 for

\$1.00

Brown Beauty Beans, 3 cans for

25c

Lima Beans, 2 lb. can 10c

—Main Floor

Armour's Fresh Sugar

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Bags \$25  
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\$6.50 to \$13.50

In genuine cow-hide, fully lined with fittings of mellow ivory. An unusual gift for some loved one.

Other bags in shape and size variety enough for any use or purpose are \$7.50 to \$35.

—Main Floor

A Clearance of Millinery!  
Lot 1. Pattern Hats formerly marked \$16.50 to \$30, reduced to \$13.95.  
Lot 3. Hats \$8.95 to \$13.95, reduced to \$7.95.  
Lot 2. Hats formerly marked \$14.50 and \$15, reduced to \$9.95.  
Lot 4. Ladies', Misses' and Children's hats formerly marked \$6.50 to \$6.95, reduced to \$3.95.

The first three lots comprise models in marine, velvet, duvetyne, metal cloth, hatter's plush, felt and beaver. The prices are now within reach of even the humblest purse.

—Main Floor

Metal Boxes  
35c to 65c  
For use to hold Christmas Candies, fruit, cake, etc., a tasteful and inexpensive gift. In Oriental designs or Holiday colors.

Hand in hand go Christmas baskets—every size or shape desired, \$1.25 to \$5.

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Silk Hose  
\$1.50 to \$6.50  
Sketched are the clever gift hose with clocks that come in black at \$4.50 to \$5. Rosaries \$3.50.

Other silk hose in Rustic Calf, grey, black and brown are \$1.50 to \$6.50.

—Main Floor

Gifts of Jewelry  
\$1 to \$37.50  
Necklaces are \$1 to \$5. Bracelets \$1 to \$2.50. Wrist watch bands \$1.35. Vanity Cases are \$1 to \$5. Pins \$1 to \$6. Rosaries \$3.50.

Of course Santa's too busy to come himself right now. But this brother of his will show you as good a time as you could expect from St. Nick himself. Saturday from 2 to 5.

—Downstairs

Unusual Apparel Offerings!  
100 Suits at One-Half Price—They are plain and fur-trimmed models and certainly priced so that no woman need deny herself longer. \$25 suits now \$12.50. \$35 suits \$17.50. \$49.75 suits \$24.88. Up to \$145 suits at \$72.50.  
Coats are Materially Reduced!—19.75 values now \$15.80. \$25 values \$20. \$3